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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 31, 2007, please enter the following amendments and remarks. A Petition and fee for a three-month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to on or before February 29, 2008, accompany this amendment. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.